

## GUINNIP'S

WILL OPEN AT THEIR STORES.  
No. 820, 822 and 824 Seventh St.,  
Monday Morning, Feb. 12,  
THE ENTIRE STOCK OF  
**Bankrupt Goods**  
OF GEO. M. TAYLOR.

THE STOCK CONSISTS OF  
**Staple and Fancy Dry Goods**  
SILKS, DRESS GOODS,  
**Domestic Linens**  
CLOTHS,  
Hosiery, Gloves, Notions,  
Gentlemen's Furnishings,  
Housekeeping Goods, &c., &c.

We bought the entire stock at a GREAT BARGAIN FOR CASH, and we are going to sell it accordingly. NO MISTAKE.

**GUINNIP & CO.**

PIANOS.

**ELLIS & CO.,**

937 Pennsylvania Avenue,  
Sole Agents for  
**THE FAMOUS WEBER,**

The Best in the World.  
Nearly all the great singers and artists of the world give them the preference over all others. Also, agents for the celebrated

**Smith American Organs.**

Pianos, Organs, Sheet Music.

**Stock & Co. Piano.** (The Most perfect

**Emerson Piano.** (The best medium-priced

Piano and Organ sold on instalments, rented

or exchanged; rent applied if purchased.

**5 Cent Music.** (stock in the city.)

**HENRY EBERBACH,**

Managing Partner of the late firm Ellis & Co.

**OHAUNCEY J. REED,**

No. 423 SEVENTH STREET, N.W.,  
Sole Agents for the Machines

**Heineke Piano & Shoning Cymbella Organs**

and dealer in all kinds of Musical Instruments.

**PIANO TUNING**

AND  
**REPAIRING.**

**J. F. LUCAS,**

918 7TH ST., under church, next to Orto office.

**HALL, DAVIS & CO'S PIANOS**

Upright Pianos a specialty.  
Sold on instalments.

**W. H. SUMNER, 81 2nd St. N. W.**

The Public is requested carefully to notice the

new and enlarged scheme to be drawn. Monthly

**CAPITAL PRIZE, \$75,000.**

Tickets only \$5. Shares in proportion

**L.S.L.**

Louisiana State Lottery Company

"We do hereby certify that we supervise the

arrangements for all the Monthly and Semi-

Annual Drawings of the Louisiana State Lot-

tery Company, and in person manage and control

the Drawings themselves, and that the same

are conducted with honesty, fairness, and in

good faith toward all parties, and we au-

thorize the Company to use this certificate, with

fac-similes of our signatures attached, in its ad-

vertisements.

*Wm. H. Sumner*

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Commissioners.

Incorporated in 1865 for 25 years by the Legis-

lature for Educational and Charitable purposes

with a capital of \$1,000,000 to which a reserve

fund of over \$500,000 has been added.

By an overwhelming popular vote its franchise

was made a part of the present State Constitu-

tion adopted December 22, D. 1879.

The only Lottery ever voted on and sustained by

the people of any State.

It never ceases or postpones.

Its Grand Single Number Drawings

take place Monthly.

## THE EVENING CRITIC.

ESTABLISHED AUGUST 1868.

**WEATHER INDICATIONS.**

The special bulletin issued from the Signal

Office to-day says:

Warmer weather with local rain or snow is

indicated for Saturday in the Atlantic Coast

States.

**Temperature.**

The following special temperatures were re-

ported at 3 p. m. yesterday: Washington, 70°;

North, 52°; Savannah, 40°; Albany, 47°;

Jacksonville, 54°; Philadelphia, 58°; New Or-

leans, 52°; Galveston, 51°; San Antonio,

new, 52°; Tucson, 53°; Los Angeles, 62°; San

Diego, 59°.

The Signal Office yesterday failed to indi-

cate weather for to-day. This is the second

miss since March 1.

**PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.**

The street-lamps will be lighted at 6:30

P. M., and extinguished at 11:15 a. m.

The amount of pound fees collected by the

Health Officer and turned over to the

District during the months of November

and December, 1882, and January and Feb-

ruary, 1883, was \$115.

A. W. Kiersey, in Lowell, Mass., has been

obliged to give up preaching on account of

trouble in his throat. If this reverend

gentleman had taken Dr. Bull's Cough

Syrup, he would have still been a useful

number of his professed.

HARBORMASTER SUTTON reports the fol-

lowing new arrivals at the wharves:

Schooner L. E. Williams, Captain Adams,

100,000 feet lumber for E. E. Jackson &

Co.; pungy Oliver, Henderson, Captain

Roberts, 300 bushels oysters; pungy Car-

line, Captain Francis, 400 bushels of oys-

ters.

The concert this evening at the Congrega-

tional Church will draw a crowded

house. Many were turned away at the last

entrance. Mrs. Kaspar, Miss Maddox, Mrs.

Powell, Miss Magill, Miss Moody, Mrs.

Frederick, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Brown, Mrs.

West, Mr. Boughton and others take part.

Admission, 25 cents. Come early.

The following assignment of cases has

been made for Tuesday next in the addi-

tional Criminal Court, which will meet

next week: David Le Court, larceny; Car-

rie Agos, alias Archer, larceny and assault;

Charles Boles, larceny; George Ridgely,

alias Budd, larceny, second offense petit

larceny; Otto Arnold, second offense petit

larceny; Mary Keenan, second offense petit

larceny; Maggie Ford, second offense petit

larceny; Anna Meredith, receiving stolen

property; Charles Dawson and Anna Mer-

edith, same charge.

**An Important Test.**

By direction of the Board of Fire Com-

missioners, Chief Engineer Cronin tested a

new automatic iron burglar-proof shutter, which is shortly to

be erected in the Government Printing

Office. The shutter is the invention of M.

A. Pigott, of St. Louis, and has been ex-

tensively adopted in the West. The great

objection hitherto raised in the adoption of

iron shutters for buildings has been that

## A PRACTICAL JOKE

Perpetrated at the Expense of Bag-

gage-Master Robey.

Ladies desiring to enjoy the compani-

on of their pet dogs on passenger trains

are required to pay the sum of twenty-five

cents. The money goes to conciliate the

baggage-master for any attention that the

people may need on his journey. Although

it is a very trifling amount, many of the

wealthy and luxurious ladies who like

small dog society look upon the charge as

an extortion and adopt various methods to

avoid payment. They contend that the

little things are like the babies of more

fortunate ladies, and like babies they should

be treated with care and the railroads are

firm and nothing but the cash will satisfy them.

Yesterday a lady, who was traveling with

her dog on the Baltimore & Potomac

Railroad, conductor Ferguson took advantage

of the custom to enjoy a piece of pleas-

ure at the expense of the baggage-master

Robey. A handsomely-dressed lady sat on

a seat in one of the coaches, and he noticed

that she had in her possession a toy dog,

probably for the child of some relative

of hers. He was, however, not satisfied with

the circumstances and immediately

hurried to his victim to reap his customary

tribute. The lady was astonished at his

demand, and stoutly denied that she had

any dog. The baggage-master could not be

beaten in that way. He declared that she

did have a dog, and the lady, to appease

him, produced the dog, which was a small

black and white dog, and he was obliged

to pay the sum of twenty-five cents. It is

needless to say that Mr. Robey hastily re-

acted.

**Ex-Governor Sprague Marries Again**

Ex-Governor William Sprague, of Pro-

vidence, R. I., was married last night at the

Virginia Hotel, in Staunton, Va., to Mrs.

Dora Inez Calvert, who had arrived there

from Greenbrier County, W. Va., a few

hours before the wedding. The bride was

the daughter of the late Hon. John W. Cal-

vert, of the same name, and the officiating

minister was Rev. Walter

Q. Hurlbush, of Trinity Episcopal Church.

The Governor reached Staunton on Wed-

nesday. Upon the arrival of the lady, who

was understood to be divorced, and who is a

native of Connecticut, but has been resid-

ing in West Virginia fourteen years, the

ex-Senator applied at the county clerk's

office for a license, which was refused.

He then applied at the county clerk's

office, and was again refused, the clerk

telling him that the lady must be a

resident of Staunton for the license to be

legally his. He then drew up a contract

with the lady, and the contract was signed

by both parties. The contract was then

presented to the county clerk, who refused

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## DR. BLAND'S REJOINER

To Agents Smith and Miles.

To the Editor of The Evening Critic:

The so-called reply of Special Agent Smith,

and the obnoxious postscript of Agent Miles,

which appeared in The Critic yesterday,

would receive no notice from me, if my per-

sonal quarrel were alone involved. But this

is a public matter, and I have treated it as

such, and shall continue to do so, despite the

efforts of Smith and Miles to draw me into a

quarrel by the use of insinuating and

unpleasant and vile epithets. I deem it pro-

per to state, however, that I have no quar-

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objection to their conduct is that it is

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